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PRODUCT

## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

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Sir:

The Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed February 6, 2007 mistakenly indicated that FIG. 18C was cut off at the bottom of page 17/19 of the Figures. In a telephone conversation with Dale Olson on February 13, 2007, Applicant's attorney Darleen J. Stockley explained that the lower portion of FIG. 18C shows ellipsis, which is the correct representation of FIG. 18C. Hence, there is no need to provide a replacement page 17/19.

If there are any underpayments or overpayments of fees associated with the filing of this Response to Notice, please charge and/or credit the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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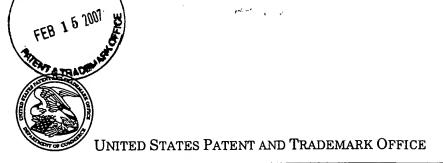
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## Notice of Allowance Mailed

This application has been accorded an Allowance Date and is being prepared for issuance. The application, however, is incomplete for the reasons below.

Applicant is given 60 days from the mail date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. If the informality pertains to the abstract, specification (including claims) or drawings, the informality must be corrected with an amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121 (or, if the application is a reissue application, 37 CFR 1.173). Such an amendment may be filed after payment of the issue fee if limited to correction of informalities noted herein. See Waiver of 37 CFR1.312 for Documents Required by the Office of Patent Publication, 1280 Off. Gaz. Patent Office 918 (March 23, 2004). In addition, if the informality is not corrected until after payment of the issue fee, for purposes of 35 U.S.C. 154(b)(1)(iv), "all outstanding requirements" will be considered to have been satisfied when the informality has been corrected. A failure to reply will result in the application being ABANDONED. This period for reply is NOT extendable under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The bottom margin of sheet 17/19 of the drawings is insufficient, resulting in missing information at the bottom of FIG. 18C. Applicant must submit a replacement for drawing sheet 17/19 to correct this deficiency.

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